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Patent Application of:

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For: METHOD OF FORMING INSULATING FILMS,  
CAPACITANCES, AND SEMICONDUCTOR  
DEVICES

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) Group Art Unit: 2814

) Examiner: Nathan W. Ha

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) Date: May 29, 2003

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT/AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Request for Restriction mailed April 29, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

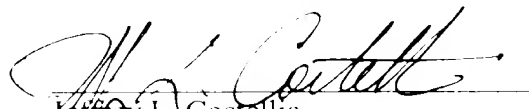
Please delete claim 1 without prejudice of disclaimer to file a divisional application directed thereto.

**REMARKS**

Applicants hereby elect without traverse Group II (claims 2-22), drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 123.

Consideration and allowance of the instant application are now respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted.

  
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